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ACCOUNT NO. 23-0975.

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Re application of :  
Edwin SOUTHERN :  
Serial No. 08/230,012 : Group Art Unit 1807  
Filed April 19, 1994 : Examiner A. Marschel  
ANALYSING POLYNUCLEOTIDE :  
SEQUENCES :

RESPONSE

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks,  
Washington, D.C.

Sir:

In response to the Official Action of December 28,  
1995, the period for response having been extended for two months  
by the attached petition, please amend the present application as  
follows:

IN THE TITLE:

Rewrite the title as --APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR  
ANALYZING POLYNUCLEOTIDE SEQUENCES AND METHOD OF GENERATING  
OLIGONUCLEOTIDE ARRAYS--.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please replace page 1 of the present specification with  
attached page 1.

Page 13, line 20, change " $\mu$ mol" to --mmol--, and change  
"g" to --mg--.

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